IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of TWO (2) wonths to respond to the Office Action mailed on October 21, 1999, because of this extension the time period for response will expire on February 21, 2000. Filed herewith is a complete response to said Office Action.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 14-1270 in the amount of \$380.00, the fee for this extension; and charge any additional fees except for the Issue Fee, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

Respectfully submitted,

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